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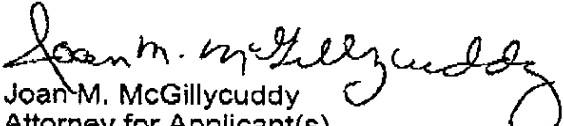
REMARKS

Applicants believe that the submission of the above full paragraph amendment to pages 11-12 of the specification addresses all outstanding issues in the Notice of Non-Compliance. Through review of the MPEP and discussion with the primary Examiner, Applicants believe that no resubmission of the remaining changes to the specification is necessary or appropriate. It is therefore, herein requested that prosecution on the merits be resumed.

CONCLUSION

Applicants request that the above amendments be entered. In view of the amendments and remarks herein and the papers submitted previously, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the subject rejections. The present application is believed to be in condition for allowance, which action is respectfully requested. Early consideration and allowance of the instant application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,


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